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Transparency in Defence Procurement
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has undertaken measures to improve transparency and public accountability of defence institutions;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government proposes to shift to an e-procurement platform to ensure transparency in defence procurement; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) & (b): Transparency and accountability in defence procurement is ensured by following the laid down guidelines and procedures. Besides, review and revision of guidelines and procedures is a continuous process.

(c) & (d): Guidelines on e-procurement have been forwarded to various Departments and Wings of this Ministry for Compliance with e-procurement policy.

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